SO WE GROW OLD.

A broken toy that held away A yearning child heart from an hour of play. A Christmas that no idols brought. A tangled lesson, full of tangled thought; A homesick boy, a senior gowned and wise, A glimpse of life, when, lot the curtains rise

Fold over fold, And hangs the picture, like a boundless sea The world, all action and reality-So we grow old.

A wedding, and a tender wife's caress; A prattling babe the parents' life to bless; A home of joys and cares in equal part; A dreary watching with a heavy heart, And death's dread angel knocking at the

Or lose her hold: A new-made grave, and then a brave return Where the fires of life triumphant burn-So we grow old.

A fortune and a generous meed of fame, A direful ruin and a tarnished name; A slipping off of week and month and year A pleasure that transforms the sullen night

From lead to gold. A chilling winter of unchanging storm; A spring replete with dawns and sunset

So we grow old.

Old to ourselves, but children yet to be In the strange cities of eternity. -Exchange

Plain Talk.

I have heard a gread deal recently in reference to the necessity for young men learning a trade, but it seems to me that the need exists for a plain talk to the young

must be supplied by others.

which should go toward the pur. sail to the North Pole, never to rechase of books and other aids to a turn. higher education. A certain amount of recreation and pleasure | Many young men eschew matriis, of course, desirable, as well as mony because of the "failures" the society of helpful friends, but which come to their notice, some the young man who cannot enjoy because of the alleged expense, his own companionship occasion- and more because of the selfishally is in a bad way. Take a few ness of their natures. The latter hours every week, if not every day, class prefer the grosser enjoyments to devote to the study of your of life and care not for the spiritual trade-visit the library and other companionship which only a pure places where you can find valuable woman can give, and the delights information - perfect yourself in which center about the sacred name your calling, and make your ser- of Home. vices indispensable. Aim to be at "There is no greater blessing

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A Load Off his Heart.

Some people seem to be born with little or no consideration for Has a la. their fellow creatures, and, unhappily, they are not always so effectually squelched as was a certain acquaintance of Victor von Scheffel's by that celebrated poet, on the following occasion:

When Scheffel was staying in Italy for the benefit of his health, he received from a friend in Ger-And hope and courage bidding sorrow wait many an unfranked letter containing nothing but the words, " I am With kind regards-Yours,"

Annoyed at having to pay double postage for such an insignificant piece of news, the poet determined Faster and faster as the close draws near. to serve his friend out. He pro-A grief to day and with to-morrow's light cured a large stone of immense THE PRESS IS A NATIONAL NEWSPAPER. weight, packed it in a box and sent it to his correspondent, "Carriage

> The latter, in the belief that the contents of the parcel were valua- topic of interest.
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> THE PRESS WEEKLY EDITION conble, gladly paid the heavy charge tains all the good things of the Daily and for carriage, opened the box and Sunday editions found, to his horror, nothing but an ordinary stone, bearing a label, As an Advertising Medium "On receipt of the news that you were in good health, the accompanying load rolled off my heart!"

Messages From The Sea.

The custom of enclosing letters men who are soon to take the in casks and bottles, and consignplaces of our gray haired workmen. ing them to the care of the sea As the matter stands our young when danger threatens the ship, is men are more interested in prize an old one; many of these messages fights and base ball than the con- are never found, old ocean being a sideration of their own future and faithless carrier. The famous the choice of a trade or profession. parchment describing his discover-Most of them read too little, con- ies, and cast into the water by Colsidering as I did once, that there umbus in 1493, was lost forever. is nothing gained by reading but Clement Wragge, the meteorolothat all knowledge is to be ob- gist, threw overboard one hundred tains in the school of experience. and fifty bottle messengers during true to a certain extent, the passage from Australia to Engbut if .ney do not devote time to land, in 1878. Only six of them BOOT · AND · SHOE · MAKER useful reading and study they will have been heard from. One was hen they take up their trades picked up in Mobile Bay, having that they are mere automatoms traveled 5,500 miles in two years. HARNESS AND SADDLERY. the brains required in the work Sometimes a sea messenger long escapes notice on a little-frequented To learn a trade thoroughly re- beach. One sent from an American quires not only practice but brains ship in 1847 was picked up twentyand study. The young man who one years later on the west coast is ambitious to succeed in his of Ireland. In 1849 a whaleship chosen calling should consider found a sealed bottle floating at well the importance of breaking sea. It contained documents from away from the associations which John Franklin, dated June 30, lead him to squander the money in 1845, which was but a few weeks billiard halls and similar resorts after that illustrious navigator set

the top and help others to climb, can befall a thinker than a union The laws of bealth are taught in the with a woman who is at least his schools; but not in a way to be of much peer in her appreciation," writes practical benefit and are never illustrated Walter Blackburn Harte, in the by living examples, which in many cases New England Magazine; "And it might easily be done. If some scholar must be remembered that Balzac who has just contracted a cold was brought claimed that 'appreciation is combefore the school so that all could hear the dry, loud cough and know its significance; plete equality. A woman worldly see the thin white coating on the tongue enough to protect a thinker from and later, as the cold developed, see the the world, and unworldly enough profuse watery expectoration and thin to live with him in the world of his watery discharge from the nose, not one thought and imagination, is the of them would ever forget what the first symptoms of a cold were. The scholar should then be given Chamberlain's Cough aims, and with such a woman a Remedy freely, that all might see that even man can live serenely in the most a severe cold could be cured in one or two desirable society. Emerson puts days, or at least greatly mitigated, when it thus: 'When a man meets his properly treated as soon as the first symptoms appear. This remedy is famous for life, is delicious.' In an atmosits cures of coughs, colds and croup. It is life is delicious. In an atmosmade especially for these diseases and is place of the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; there is a spur the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; the most prompt and most reliable meditives more vividly; the most reliable meditives more vividly; the most reliable meditives more vividly and most reliable meditives more vividly. cine known for the purpose. 25 and 50 in every meeting, an inspiration in

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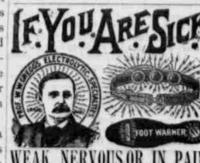
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